

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 1790**

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Koji Mishima et al.
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Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated December 20, 2007, please extend the period of time for response one month, to expire on April 20, 2008. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.